

**In accordance with the:**

PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS ACT (Business and Professions Code §§ 6700 – 6799),  
CHAPTER 7. PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS, Article 3. Application of Chapter;

**PUBLIC UTILITY PLANS DESIGNED BY THE OWNING UTILITY COMPANY  
OR BY OTHERS ON BEHALF OF THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMPANY, DO  
NOT REQUIRE THE SIGNATURE OF A PROFESSIONAL REGISTERED  
ENGINEER.**

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## **PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS ACT**

**(Business and Professions Code §§ 6700 – 6799)**

**INCLUDES AMENDMENTS MADE DURING THE 2002 LEGISLATIVE  
SESSION**  
**(Effective January 1, 2003, unless otherwise noted)**

### **CHAPTER 7. PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS**

#### **Article 3. Application of Chapter**

##### **6746. Exemption for communications industry**

Plans, specifications, reports and documents relating to communication lines and equipment prepared by employees of communications companies which come under the jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Commission, and by employees of contractors while engaged in work on communication equipment for communications companies which come under the jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Commission, are not subject to the provisions of this chapter.

##### **6747. Exemption for industries**

(a) This chapter, except for those provisions that apply to civil engineers and civil engineering, shall not apply to the performance of engineering work by a manufacturing, mining, public utility, research and development, or other industrial corporation, or by employees of that corporation, provided that work is in connection with, or incidental to, the products, systems, or services of that corporation or its affiliates.

(b) For purposes of this section, “employees” also includes consultants, temporary employees, contract employees, and those persons hired pursuant to third-party contracts.